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## In Memoriam.

### HENRY T. MILCHSACK.

After an illness of about two months, Henry T. Milchsack died at his home in Bethlehem on December 22, 1904, in the 77th year of his age. He was born in Bethlehem, June 19, 1828, and was the third of the four children of Augustus and Hannah Everett Milchsack, and the last surviving member of that family. He engaged in the tailoring business at Nazareth, where he also was wedded to Ellen Beitel, who departed this life in 1872. His second wife was Miss Augusta Henrietta Beitel.

He lived in Bethlehem for a number of years and was at various times tailor, telegraph operator and hotel keeper last at the American House. He is survived by his widow and five children: Thomas A., of Bethlehem, Mary, wife of Prof. E. T. Mack, of Nazareth Hall, William H., of Nazareth, and the Misses Anna and Susan Milchsack, of Bethlehem.

He became a member of the Historical Society in 1877.

### CHARLES BRODHEAD.

The Hon. Charles Brodhead was born at Conyngham, Luzerne Co., Pa., August 4, 1824, and was the son of Albert Gallatin and Ellen Middaugh Brodhead. He graduated from Lafayette College with the class of 1844. He studied law in the office of his uncle, Richard Brodhead, and in the Philadelphia Law School, and he was admitted into practice at the November term of court at Easton in 1846.

In 1873 Mr. Brodhead was elected a member of the Constitutional Convention of Pennsylvania and was the originator of several valuable provisions in the revised Constitution of the State.

During the years of his residence in Bethlehem he aided materially in the development of the two boroughs.

He was married, June 1, 1858, to Miss Camilla M. Shimer. He had been in failing health for several years and entered into his rest on the last day of the year 1904.

He is survived by his widow and two children, Mrs. Warren A. Wilbur and Albert Brodhead.

Mr. Brodhead had been a member of the Historical Society since August, 1896.

LOUISA M. MEYERS,

who had been a member of the Moravian Historical Society since August, 1899, was born at Bethlehem, on October 18, 1838, her parents being Gabriel and Lucinda E. (Luckenbach) Traeger.

She received her education in the Moravian Parochial School and the Young Ladies' Seminary. She was married on December 6, 1864, to Edward T. Meyers, who carried on the drug business in Bethlehem for over twenty-five years and who departed this life, September 22, 1885.

During the past few months she experienced signs of extreme weakness and on the morning of March 28, 1905, the sudden summons came and she departed without suffering and in full possession of her faculties. She is survived by Harry J. Meyers and Emily L., wife of Geo. Fred. Krause, of Bethlehem.

CLARA W. SPARKS JORDAN

was the daughter of Thomas and Anne E. Sparks and was born November 22, 1843. Her father, the proprietor of the Philadelphia Shot Tower and President of the Penna. Salt Manufacturing Company, had been a pupil at Nazareth Hall contemporary with Bishop A. A. Reinke, the Rev. Robt. de Schweinitz, Francis Jordan, Capt. William Mann and Stephen R. Mallory. He was a friend of the Moravian Church, attended the Nazareth Hall reunions and left a bequest to the Moravian Theological Seminary.

The subject of this sketch was married to William H. Jordan, April 20, 1881. Although a devoted member of the Episcopal Church, she always enjoyed the services of the Moravian Church and once remarked to Bishop C. L. Moench that "she was an Episcopalian but loved the Moravians." She was of an amiable disposition, kind hearted and always happy to contribute to any worthy object.

She passed away at the residence of her brother-in-law, in Germantown, Pa., on June 21, 1905, leaving no issue.

She became a member of the Historical Society on May 4, 1882.

#### HARRISON C. LUEDERS.

Died in Philadelphia, Pa., on July 8, 1905, Harrison C. Lueders, son of the late Thomas L. Lueders, aged 55 years.

In Brother Lueders the First Church in Philadelphia has lost a valued and loyal member.

By his large circle of friends and business associates he was honored and beloved for his sincerity and simplicity, his enthusiasm, which he carried into his church work as well as into his business, and for his sound judgment and benevolent spirit; and by all who knew him he is held in grateful and sacred remembrance.

He had joined the Historical Society in August, 1904, but a year before his demise.

#### ESMOND H. AUSTIN

was born in Philadelphia, August 2, 1853, and was the son of John B. Austin, President of the Southwark National Bank. He received his education at Dr. John Ferris' School on Dean St., below Locust, and entered the service of the United Security Life Insurance and Trust Company as Assistant Secretary in 1895.

He married a daughter of James Moore, proprietor of the Bush Hill Iron Works. His widow, one son and two daughters survive him.

He had, for some years, been a partner with Joseph H. Traeger in the dry-goods and grocery business in Bethlehem. Death, caused by heart failure, came upon him suddenly on August 2, 1905.

Mr. Austin joined the Moravian Historical Society in 1880.